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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I don't subscribe to cable service, and only need internet. I live in an area that has very limited options for internet service. The large carriers are cumbersome, because they were constantly trying to get me to sign up for their bundled cable packages. I only want Internet service, which I rely on for my home based business. I can access internet service through a smaller, local provider for 20% less than the larger companies, while getting personalized service and a better result. My business would suffer greatly from the increased cost, hassle and loss of internet speed associated with the large companies.

Please don't kill the competition, its the competition that keeps our country vibrant and innovative!

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